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Last year's Fall Open House brought many curious visitors to the TARGET Center

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Hello Friends of the TARGET Center!

It's been another busy month at the TARGET Center. We'd like to thank those of you who took the time to attend our successful technology demonstrations. We look forward to seeing you at another one soon!

There are many exciting opportunities coming this Fall to the TARGET Center. One of these events involves our 10th Anniversary Celebration, a tribute to our founding Director, Ms. Ophelia Falls, as part of our annual Fall Open House. Also, look for information coming soon in regards to free Accessible Technology accommodations to all qualified USDA employees via the pending USDA/CAP Partnership Program.

In addition, we would like to announce a new training series to begin in the Fall: 'PDF Accessibility Training.' Anyone looking to learn the Adobe accessibility features of Acrobat and PDF files should attend these sessions! A heavy interest is expected. Please contact Paul Lloyd at 202-720-7950 for more information and to be placed on an advanced waiting list for future sessions. Waiting list applicants will be given first priority when dates are announced. Don't wait around...sign up today!



Fall Open House—The summer is winding down, and before you know it the fall will be upon us. As the weather cools, things heat up in the TARGET Center. Make sure to mark October 10, 2002 on your calendar. This is the date of our annual Fall Open House. But this year, its not just any Open House. This year, we are celebrating 10 years of helping people. That's right, ten years ago, a persistent and determined committee gathered to hammer out the terms by which the center would be formed. And here we are, a decade of technology at work, stronger than ever. Please, join us to celebrate TARGET contributions of past and present, and help pave the way to an even more successful tomorrow.



Calendar of Events

September 4

Rural Development Conference in Sturbridge, Massachusetts. A training program on Disability Awareness and Section 508.

September 4 from 9 am – 1 pm

Career Exchange Event for APHIS

September 16-19

NRCS-IT Conference in Las Vegas, NV.
A presentation on Section 508 and Accessible Technology.

September 19 from 10 am - 6 pm

September 20 from 9 am - 1 pm

U.S. Senate Health Fair - Hart Building

September 24-26

SACED Conference in Kansas City, MO
A training program on the pending USDA/CAP Partnership Program and a program on making websites accessible (Section 508).

September 26 from 12 - 1 pm

Don't forget! The TARGET Center presents
Ergonomics Training Sessions
on the last Thursday of every month
Please call to reserve a spot today!

Please help spread the word.

*Thank you once again
for being a valued friend of the
USDA TARGET Center.*

Feel free to contact us at (202) 720-2600
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